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Dr. Frank D. Horvay

Former CIA Man ISNU Foreign Language Chief

Dr. Frank D. Horvay, senior reporter with the federal government's Central Intelligence Agency for eight years, has been named head of the foreign language department at Illinois State Normal University.

He will take over the post in August, replacing a faculty committee which has headed the department since the retirement of Dr. Jennie A. Whitten, a year ago. Dr. Alie Ward Billingsley has headed the faculty committee.

BORN IN HUNGARY

Mr. Horvay, born in Hungary, became a U.S. citizen in 1942. He served with the U.S. Army during World War II and still holds the rank of captain in the Army Intelligence Service.

The new department head taught last at Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Ind., from 1947-52. Prior to those years he was on the staff of the University of Alabama; Normandy High School in St. Louis, Mo.; Jefferson Military College, Washington, Miss., and Morgan Park Junior College, Chicago. He has held summer teaching assignments at the Universities of Chicago and Florida.

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TO TEACH GERMAN

Mr. Horvay holds bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Alabama and a doctorate from Washington University, St. Louis, Mo. He has taught French, Hungarian, German, Latin and social sciences.

He will teach German at ISNU as well as heading the foreign language department.

Mr. Horvay will move to Normal this summer with his wife and two daughters. Mrs. Horvay, a native American of Czechoslovakian descent, speaks Czechoslovakian, Spanish and German and has studied Russian.

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